#### HOME NEWS.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS. BRUNSWICK—Columbus R. Cummings, William B. Howard, and N. E. Peirbank, of Chicago, FIFTH AVENUE—Henry W. Sage, of Ithacs: Henry A. Elchmond, of Buffalo; Jonas H. French, of Boston; Clement Studebaker, at Indians, and State Senators George Z. Erwin and Frank B. Arcold. GILSEY—Congressman William C. P. Rreck-B. Arcold. GILSEY—Congressman William C. P. Rreck-Bridge, of Kentucky; ex-Congressman John E. Russell, of Massachusetts, and General Austin Lathrop, of Corning, N. Y. HOFFMAN—Governor David B. Hill. NEW-YORK—General P. R. de Trobriand, U. S. Army. FTURTEVANT—D. Cady Herrick, of Albany. WINDSOR —Frincess Kaiulani, of Hawaii, and E. C. Kerens, of El. Louis.

### WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY.

Presbyterian General Assembly, Fourth Avenue Pres-byterian Church. byterian Church.

Brocklyn Jockey Club races, Gravesend, 2:30 p. m.

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Board of Electrical Control, City Hall, noon.

Board of Aldermen, City Hall.

Brisl of William E. Howard, Court of General Sessions, New-York-Indianapolis baseball match, St. George,

L. 3:45 p. m.

Annual Convention of Society of Friends, Rutherford Place Meeting House.

Police and Pitot Commissioners' meetings.

Wenan's Medical College of New-York infirmary commencement, Assembly Rooms, Metropolitan Opera House, 1 p. m.

p. m. Male Art Department Cooper Union annual reception, 8 p. m. Berkeley School prize declamation, Berkeley Lyceum,

Hall, 8 p. m.
Suburban Republican Club, One-hundred-and-seventyseventh-st and Vanderbilt-ave., 8 p. m.
Order of Chosen Friends' entertainment, Metropolitan
Opera House, 8 p. m.
Auction sale of Mrs. Langtry's stage properties,

Origies & Co.'s, 2 p. m.
Mass meeting of junkmen, No. 229 East Forty-seventhst., 8 p. m. Baptist City Mission public meeting, Mount Morris Baptist Church, S p. m. Young People's Association Rutgers Riverside Church,

sing entertainment, 8 p. m. IIId District Republican Association, No. 135 Eighth-Music in Tompkins Square by Eben's Band, 8 p. m.

#### NEW-YORK CITY.

A musical and literary entertainment will be given ander the auspices of the Young People's Association of the Forty-fourth Street Methodist Episcopal Church at the church this evening.

William A. Ogden, age twenty-five, a jeweller, cam from Chicago a week ago and registered at the United States Hotel. Early yesterday morning he attempted commit suicide with morphine, being despondent at his failure to get work, but failed again, and was locked up at the First Precinct Police Station.

The Baptist Ministers' Conference held a meeting in the Emmanuel Baptist Church yesterday. The Erastus T. Rev. John H. Eager, missionary to Rome, speke on

porters of artificial flowers at Nos. 628 and 630 Broadway, obtained by Salmon & Lumley, of Paris, for \$20,632, has been settled, it is said, for 80 per cent in cash.

to seven years and five months, and O'Toole to five the vessel. years and seven months, in the State Prison.

The Ladies' Guild of the West Harlem Methodis Episcopal Church, Seventh-ave, and One-hundred andtwenty-ninth-st., will give a novel entertainment in connection with their strawberry festival this evening. Chief among the attractions on the programme is the rendering of Jean Ingelow's "Songs of Seven."

Mesers. B. Altman & Co. and Arnold, Constable & Co. start the early-closing movement on Saturday, June 1, by closing their establishments on that day 26 Reade-st. The charges were lying and contumacy at 1 p. m.

Secretary Windom has appointed Morris S. Wise, of tection of industrial property, trade-marks, etc., to his California record. be held in Paris on August 5.

John Kilian, age thirty-six, of No. 402 East Twelfthst., tried to end his life with a dose of Paris green last evening. He was removed to the Presbyterian Hooper told them that there had been no church in Hospital in a critical condition.

Commodore Ramsay yesterday appointed a board of officers to survey and report upon the repairs necessary to put the sloop-of-war Yantic in seaworthy

Corporation Counsel Clark and ex-Corporation Counsel matteemen declare that the from \$6,000 to \$12,000.

the child should be left in her mother's charge, and ago I told you you were a liar and a villain, and that the father should be permitted to see her at all you are. I rejeat it here. proper times, Justice Ingraham, of the Supreme Court, Mr. Hooper added: "Th orday made an order to that effect.

Charles Daubert, a German, thirty-three years old, at 11 a. m.

who kept a butcher-shop on the first floor of the tenement-house No. 494 Tenth-ave., and lived with his wife and two little children in rear rooms, went into the cellar yesterday afternoon and shot himself in the head. Despondency through poor health was been abolished, the work, which was farmed out to the A freight train of the New-York, New-Haven and

night. Papers in the man's pocket indicated that his necessary the employment of several hundred mer name was Henry Fuchs. The committee on examination of applicants for

admission to practice at the bar as attorneys annunced yesterday that they would meet students at the Court House on June &.

A programme of literary and musical exercises has been arranged by the Irish-American Republican Club of the XIXth Assembly District, to be rendered at No. 1,034 Tenth-ave. on the evening of Decoration The oration will be delivered by General James R. O'Beirne.

No. 449 Eighth-ave, to-night, to adopt resolutions so large as at first reported. The packet which the increasing the sum given yearly to the indigent blind.

The commencement of the Department of Law of the University of the City of New-York will be held. Mr. Speer Sunday afternoon, his son having given it to-morrow evening in the Metropolitan Opera House. to a young friend for that purpose. At the office of The address to the graduating class will be delivered the company, No. 28 College Place, Joseph T. Speer, by General Thomas Ewing.

The Sick Children's Mission of the Children's Ald lety will begin on June 3 its usual summer work of furnishing free medical attendance and nourishment to sick poor children at their homes in the teneases. All applications addressed to George Calder, superintendent, No. 287 East Broadway, will compt attention.

The sum of \$1,107 75 was added to the Washington Rev. Dr. Huntington, rector of Grace Church,

will preach in St. Ann's Church on Thursday, Ascension Day, at 8 p. in. Deaf mutes are invited, as the n will be interpreted to them by the Rev. Dr.

schools was held at Association Hall last night. Ex-school Trustee David H. Knapp, Lawson N. Fuller and Mrs. Sheppard, of Boston, president of the Loyal Women of American Liberty, made addresses.

William G. Mitchell Post G. A. R. was last night H. recipient of a handsom; silk flag from a number General Schuyler Hamilton made the formal

tation, at the 71st Regiment Armory. Francis O'Neil, the liquor-dealer at No. 142 Eliza-beth-st, who testified before the Police Commissioners

in the Finn case that he kept his place open on Sun day, and admitted selling liquor to a minor, had his

license revoked by the Excise Commissioners yesterday. John C. Barry, a young colored man, who lives at No. 150 West Fifty-second-st., was remanded in the Hariem Police Court yesterday on the charge of abducting a fifteen-year-old white girl named Mamie Knott, A detective learned that the ill-assorted pair were to have been married on Sunday night.

#### AFFAIRS IN BROOKLYN.

A NEW DISQUALIFICATION FOR JUROPS. The trial of James H. Graham for the murder of John Moeller was begun in the Court of Sessions yesterday. The day was spent in getting a juror, a number of talesmen being excused because they said that they were opposed to the new system of capital punishment by electricity. The crime for which Graham, who is a colored bootblack, is on trial was committed on January 17, in a grogshop at No. 20 Brooklyn-ave., where Moeller was a barlender,

APPOINTMENTS AT THE NAVY YARD.

The following appointments in the Navy Yard by Secretary Tracy were reported from Washington yesterday: Edward F. Page, of the Twentieth Ward. chief clerk of the Ordnance Department; Thomas Ormiston, of the Twenty fifth Ward, assistant bookkeeper in the General Storekeeper's Department; n. sateur Photographers' entertainment, Chickering Samuel V. Horne, of the Sixth Ward, shipping clerk; John Hansen, of the First Ward, bookkeeper in the General Storekeeper's Department: Arthur J. Boyle, of the Twentieth Ward, quarterman ship-filter: A. J. Smith, of the Fourth Ward, quarterman ship-joiner. The men will go to work on Saturday,

> GATHERED ABOUT THE TOWN. In referring to the extensive drygoods and notions house of H. Batterman, of Brooklyn, E. D., a few days ago, the word "Co." was inadvertently added to the firm name. H. Batterman is the sole proprietor and owner of the stabilizations.

> the firm flame.
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> The Aldermen yesterday authorized the Park Commissioners to remove their offices from the City Hall to the Litchfield Mansion, in Prospect Park. The Corporation Counsel will occupy the rooms heretofore levoted to the Park Commissioners.

> The Civil List contains the names of 5,311 city employes, of whom 2,193 are connected with the De-partment of Education.

S. V. White has begun a suit to recover \$100,000 from "The Eagle," for alleged libel in an article about his relation to Oregon and Transcontinental stock. The Aldermen yesterday set aside \$6,500 from the Emergency Fund to meet the Cenfennial expenses, over and above the \$25,000 which the Legislature authorized them to expend.

The Clinton Club has been incorporated by Samuel The Childon Child has seen incorporate in Hunt,
Spiritualism' before the Pastors' Association of the
Reformed Church yesterday.

The Childon Child has seen incorporate in Hunt,
M. Scymour, Thomas H. Troy, Charles H. Hunt,
William F. Penney, John A. Dunbar, George C. Hunt,
William Greason, Harrison W. Gladwin, Howard C.
Pyle and Charles B. Upjohn.

The wives, sisters and friends of the comrades of Erastus T. Tefft Post, No. 355, G. A. R., presented to it a beautiful American flag of silk on Saturday evening. The presentation state of the company the need of mission work in Italy, and the Rev. Dr. evening. The presentation speech was made by Seniors Edward Parker, president, and William Dale Shaw, Vice-Commander H. O. Morris, and was responded to Edward Parker, president, and William Pale Shaw, treasurer, of the Manchester Baptist College, England, by Commander Gilbert S. King and Comrade Peter W. by Commander Gilbert S. King and Comrade Peter W. by Commander Gilbert S. King and Comrade Peter W. by Commander Gilbert S. King and Comrade Peter W. by Commander Gilbert S. King and Comrade Peter W. by Commander Gilbert S. King and Comrade Peter W. by Commander Strategies and Strategies and Strategies Strategies and Strategies Strategies

William Berri yesterday assumed control of "The Standard-Union," which recently passed into the con-trol of himself and Millard F. Smith. The latter will

manage the business department. A sailor named Abram Nilson was brutally as Thomas Murphy and John O'Toole, who knocked down and robbed James Nelson, of Newark, on May 20 at Washington and King sts., pleaded guilty yesterday before Recorder Smyth. Murphy was sentenced to seven years and five months, and O'Toole to five

#### THE ELOPING PASTOR ON TRIAL.

JOHN F. HOOPER HAS TO ANSWER TWO CHARGES BEFORE THE CLASSIS OF HIS CHURCH.

The trial of the Rev. John F. Hooper, whose recent elopement has disturbed people in Mott Haven, was begun yesterday before the Classis of New-York of the Reformed Church, at the synod rooms, No. To the first charge Mr. Hooper pleaded not guilty, and to the second with extenuating circumstances "The Trade-Mark Record," to represent the Treasury

The first specification was that of lying to a comDepartment at the international congress for the promittee of St. Paul's Church, of Mott Haven, about

The members of the church committee were Mr. Curtis, father of the girl with whom Hooper eloped, F. B. Chedsey and Dr. McEiroy. They declare that vestigation of his conduct in California, Mr. Hooper testified that he told them that he had not been de posed from his church there, and that they asked him no further questions on the subject. Mrs. Hooper corroborated her husband, saying that she and her mother sat in the back parlor and heard the whole Mayor Grant held a long conference yesterday with taik, the folding-doors being open. The three com

Beekman about acts of the Legislature affecting the
Mr. Hooper swore that Mr. Curtis had once sent
him a letter forbidding him to pay attentions to proval. The principal matters discussed were the Miss Curtis, and that this was the only protest on the proval. The principal matters discussed with a market state of the marriage. Mr. advise against the approval of the bill increasing the Ourtis were that he had repeatedly, both by letter salary of Engineer Greene, of the Dock Department, and by word, forbidden Hooper to associate with his daughter. Mr. Hooper asked him to mention an The parents of Alice Graham having consented that instance. Mr. Curtis: "On Alexandria ave. a few days

Mr. Hooper added: "That is true. He did say

that. Those are his prayers." John J. Sullivan, the Treasury detective, who was charged on Saturday with having assaulted Mrs. Elizabeth Rowan in East One-hundred-and-ewenty-Elizabeth Rowan in East One-hundred-and-twentysecond-st., yesterday offered his resignation to Assistant Treasurer Roberts, by whom it was accepted.

The Excise Board yesterday refused to grant a
license for a new liquor-store which George W. Wedemeyer intended to open at No. 1,563 Ninth-ave, near
the site of a church which is to be built by the Trinity
Church Corporation. Objections to the liquor-store
were made also by the trustees of the Baptist Church
at Third-ave, and Ninety-second-st., and by the representatives of the Methodist Episcopal Church Home
for Aged People, close by.

Charles Daubert a German, thirty-three years old,
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4:11 a. m.

MR. COLEMAN WILL USE A NEW BROOM The system which allowed the cleaning of a large ortion of the streets and avenues by contract having contractors, will hereafter be done under the supervision of the Commissioner of the Departme Hartford Railroad ran over and killed a man about Street Cleaning and his assistants. Commissioner twenty-five years old near Hunt's Point on Sunday Coleman said yesterday that the change would make by the department, and he felt sure that the work would be much more satisfactorily done, although the aggregate cost of street cleaning might be increased.

Regarding the department's plan of cremating the garbage collected, Mr. Coleman said that there would be no radical change therein, but that more room had The exhibition of photographs of the Washington been allowed to the company which was doing this Centennial, to be given with the aid of a stereopticon work for its crematory, and a larger building was Chickering Hall to-night by the Society of Amateur going up upon the city's property in East Seven-teenth-st. The machinery for separating the garbage from the ashes and other collections was being improved also and Mr. Coleman expects excellent results from the enlarged facilities.

YOUNG SPEER TOOK LITTLE MONEY.

Young Morgan Speer, the son of the president of the New-Jersey Wine Company, has caused his relatives a great deal of worry through his running away Saturday The adult blind residents of the city will meet at night, but the amount of money which he took is not the Legislature for the passage of the bill boy had in his possession contained only \$250, and most of this was in checks. The checks and all bu about \$10 of the money, moreover, were turned over to the boy's uncle, said that nothing further had been heard from him, and that no one knew where he was. It was not thought, however, that either of the boy's two companions had much money, and their relatives believed they would all soon be heard from.

BEGINNING THEIR COLLEGE EXAMINATIONS. General Webb, president of the College of the City of New-York, issued 1,665 applications for examinations for admission to the college last week. Yestorday morning, when the candidates assembled, it was found that of the 1,665 applicants only 1,450 was found that of the 1,665 applicants only 1,450 were on hand for examination. The certificates of these were examined and about 200 more were dropped, leaving 1,245 to start in on the examinations. The examinations began at once. It will go on for three cting in the interests of the public arinned and marked. There are 900 students in the College classes whose examinations will begin on Priday.

WHERE DID MR. GERRY'S YACHT ANCHOR! Commodore Elbridge T. Gerry was at the Custom ouse yesterday and saw Acting Collector McClelland ig the reported illegal anchoring of his steamregarding the reported lilegal anenoring of his atcain-yeach Electra. Commodore Gerry said that the yacht was at anchor in the excepted ground, as a reference to the map would clearly show. Anchorage Officer Tosier, of the Manhattan, who mads the complaint, will be called upon to explain his position.

## NEWS FROM THE SUBURBS.

A DEFAULTING POSTMASTER.

Adam L. Brown, postmaster of Bloomfield, N. J. was suspended from office on Saturday, a shortage of pearly \$1,200 having been discovered in his accounts. Brown, who is a married man, age fifty-six, was appointed postmaster by President Cleveland two years ago last month, succeeding Horace Dodd, a Republican, who had held the office for twenty-six years. The place is a Presidential postoffice, the salary being 81,600 a year. Last week Brown became angry at one of the two young women employed as his as-sistants and discharged her, whereupon she wrote a letter to the Postoffice Department, calling attention to his loose management of the office. Similar complaints had previously been made by citizens of the

Postoffice Inspector H. D. Parham was sent from Postoince inspector H. D. Parnam was sent from Philidelphis to investigate the chargos and on Saturday morning he found that there was a shortage of \$1,150. Brown's sureties, Eenjamin F. Baldwin and Edward S. Wild, named T. E. Hayes as acting postmaster. Brown went to New-York on Saturday to try to raise money to cove his shortage, with what success is not known. He returned to Bloomfield yesterday noon and left there again last night with his wife. His bondsmen will make good the deficiency.

A TEMPERANCE CLUB-HOUSE AT ORANGE. The cornerstone of the new building for the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Orange, N. J., was laid last evening at Main and Commerce sts., in the midst of a drenching rain, by Mrs. Samue Colgate, the first president of the union. The new building is to be of Norman architecture, 45x75 feet. It is to be three stories in height and finished at the northeast corner with a graceful tower. It will conand the hall, club-rooms for men and women, ledging-rooms for indigent girls, a restaurant, reading-room and kitchen. It is to be built of Trenton and Hudson River pressed brick, with terra cotta belt courses and frieze. The cost, exclusive of the lot, will be about \$20,000.

JERSEY CITY.

The proposed trial of Chief of Police Murphy, yes terday afternoon, by the old Board of Police Commissioners, for alleged insubordination and disobedience in refusing to recognize the Board, was stopped by an injunction from Chancellor McGHl. Another in junction was served restraining Michael Nathan, who was appointed Chief of Police by the old Board, from performing the duties of his office. A third order prohibited the Board from appointing a new police The old Board of Public Works met, and trans acted business in much the same manner as if there were no charter contest.

VARIOUS NEW JERSEY TOWNS.

HOBOKEN.-Captain John A. Carine, an engineer employed in New-York, lives at No. 132 Bloomfield-Yesterday afternoon a district messenger delivered to Mrs. Carine a message saying: "Come to the shop at once. Captain is very badly injured. Bring the children with you." Mrs. Carine acted as desired and found her husband uninjured. When she returned home \$400 in money and silverware were missing.

BELLEVILLE .- A warrant was issued yesterday by Justice O'Hagen for the arrest of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace on a charge of ill-treating their adopted child, Lillian Corcoran, age cleven years. Superintendent Yahman, of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, made the charge. The child is in the care of Justice O'Hagen.

LONG ISLAND.

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BARYLON.—Captain Theodore Wicks, of Rayshors, was drowned at 4 o'clock yeaterday afternoon, about a mile away from the steamboat dock. The captain commanded the yacht last summer which bore President Ceveland on his blue flashing expedition. The captain was aboard his boat attempting to right the salls, when he was suddenly swept off the deck and immediately sank. His body was recovered shortly afterward. He was fifty years old, a member of the Grand Army and of the Royal Arcanum.

ALONG THE SOUND.

BRIDGEPORT.—Gideon F. Lewis, age forty, was instantly killed by a train on the Consolidated Road Saturday evening.

The Rev. R. G. S. McNealle, pastor of the South Congregational Church, has resigned.

Adam Payerweather, twelve years old, died Sunday from the effects of eating horseshoe

SOUTH NORWALK - Inspector Rog rs has decided at the city shal have the free posta deliverestmaster Doty expects to have the system in opera-

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

WHITE PLAINS.—The trial of the Westchester rotectory fire bugs has been set down for June 13.

A four days' trotting circuit begins to-day in the orth End Driving Park. Eighty horses have been itered. The purses amount to \$2,900. NEW-ROCHELLE.—The Rev. M. A. Bradley, paster of the African Methodist Episcopal Church, has been

transferred to Port Chester. AFTER THE CITY'S SPECIAL COUNSEL.

MR. CLARK INFORMS COUNTY DEMOCRATS THAT THEIR ASSISTANCE IS NOT NEEDED IN HIS OFFICE.

vestion Counsel Clark made no removals o changes in his office yesterday, but he made serious inroads on the ranks of the special counsel. Letters were prepared and sent to Denis A. Spellfssy, County Democracy leader of the XIXth District; Colonel John O'Eyrne, who furnishes the oratory at most of the meetings of the County Democracy County Committee, and Arthur Berry, the Mayor's private secretary during Mr. Hewitt's term, informing them that their retainers were discontinued. Mr. Berry's work, which related to the condemnation proceedings of eighteen public school sites, was transferred to Junior Assistant Corporation Counsel Charles N. Harris, The cases upon which Messrs. O'Byrne and Spellissy were engaged were assigned to Assistant Counsel

Thomas P. Wickes. Mr. Clark said that he had no complaints to make against the way in which the special counsel were conducting matters. He thought that they ought not to have been employed at all, as there were assistants in the office who had the time, skill and ability attend to them. "Mr. Berry informs me," Mr. Clark added, "that he does not recognize my authority to discontinue his employment. I think that I have full entrol of all cases connected with my office, but if I am wrong the city will not have to pay any more for the settlement of any suit Mr. Berry may bring than it would have to pay him for his services, as his work will be completed by one of my salaried assistants.

On his side of the question Mr. Berry said yester-"I took the employment with the express understanding that I should finish those condemnation proeedings. I have done my duty faithfully, and the present Corporation Counsel is bound by the agree-nent of Mr. Beekman."

ment of Mr. Reekman."

Regarding the expenditure of the contingent and special counsel appropriations, ex-torporation Counsel Reekman said yesterday that there was a serious misunderstanding about the payments made by him since January 1. The special counsel, he said, were in many cases paid under retainers given by previous Counsel to the Corporation. The fees respecting the New Park lands had become due for work done within the last four years, and it would have made no difference whether he had paid them or left them for Mr. Clark to settle.

MONEY WHICH THE PREUNDS GOT The testimony yesterday on the trial before Recorder Smyth, of William E. Howard, who is accused of complicity in the electric sugar frauds, consisted in further evidence by William H. Cotterili, the president of the Elegtric Sugar Refining Company. In answer to questions by Assistant District-Attorney Davis, Mr. Cotterill testified to affairs occurring in 1885. He told about two "tests" made by the Freunds. Mr. Freund received \$6,400, and went to Europe at the request of Mr. Cotterill. Mrs. Freund and Mrs. Howard also went to Europe. Howard received \$1,000, but did not go to Europe. Mr. Cotterill afterward paid Freund \$2,000 in several sums. Still later \$13,500 was given Freund, and Howard received other sums. The examination of the witness will go

CLAIMING WATER FRONT PROPERTY. The Dock Department yesterday had the barbed-aire fence which Anthony G. McComb had placed around thirty feet of property on the water front near Jay-st. torn down.

n for several days.

McComb is a civil engineer, and says that he is grandson of John McComb, who was the owner of his property. The section fenced in by McComi s estimated to be worth about \$00,000. He says that he wanted the Dock Department to take the initiative by tearing down his fence. This will bring the matter into the courts, where he expects to maintain ent Post, of the Dock Department, said yes hat he had no knowledge of the validity of - ' -

GENERAL PRYOR RETIRED FROM THE CASE General Roger A. Pryor, who said that he had been sked by relatives of the defendant living at Raltimor to act as additional counsel, appeared before Recorder myth yesterday in the case of Frank Templeman, who is accused of bringing false charges scalnst District-Attorney Fellows and Inspector Byrnes. Mr. Pryor said that he desired a few days' delay to prepare o argue the demurrer in the case. The Recorder said that General Pryor could prepare the argument in

THE COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS REPORT

THAT THE CLERK OF THE SPECIAL SES-

few hours. Mr. Pryor thought that it would take longer and retired from the case. Warren W. Foster the counsel originally assigned to the case, filed a demurrer later in the day. MR. WOOD SHORT IN HIS ACCOUNTS.

SIONS COURT HAS A DEFICIT OF \$7,285. The Commissioners of Accounts yesterday made their report to Mayor Grant of their examination of the accounts and methods of George M. Wood, Clerk of the Court of Special Sessions, for the period be tween January 1, 1888, and May 1, 1889. The Commissioners found a deficit in Mr. Wood's accounts amounting to \$7,285, for fines collected by him as Clerk of the Special Sessions. They also report that the records of his office are in bad condition; and that there is evidence of inefficiency and a habitual want of promptness and accuracy on his part. When given the opportunity to put in a defence, Mr. Wood said that he could furnish no explanation. He admitted

that he was indebted to the city for money received

by him as a public officer, but was unable to ap

proximate the amount. The Commissioners say further that their prede essors, Commissioners Shearman and Anderson, had reported in January and April of last year that they found Mr. Wood short in his accounts and that his methods were lax and unsatisfactory, and they ecommended that his bond be increased from \$1,000 o \$10,000, and that the deputy clerk be required to furnish a bond in like amount, but no action was furnish a bond in like amount, but no action was taken in the matter. The Commissioners now renew the recommendation of their prodecessors, or that some additional security for the city be obtained.

A certified check for \$7.200 was deposited yesterday with Controller Myers, covering the whole amount of Clerk Wood's deficiency. The check was sent, it is said, by Colonel E. T. Wood, the clerk's father. Colonel Wood has been prominent in politics for many years, and is the present County Democracy leader of the Twenty-fourth Ward. Mayor Grant took no action yesterday regarding the report.

THE MAYOR WANTS THE COMPANY PROSECUTED Mayor Grant issued his third order yesterday for he removal of poles and wires. It requires Commissioner Gilroy to remove all the overhead wires and the telegraph and electric light poles in the subway The Mayor sent to District-Attorney Fel ows yesterday a report made by Expert Wheeler, charging the United States Illuminating Company with stringing electric light wires in various streets and avenues without a permit, accompanied by a request that the company be prosecuted for these violations of the law. This is the company which has been receiving the Mayor's credit-marks. The Hoard of Electrical Control will meet at the Mayor's office at 11 a. m. to-day.

## MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAG TO-DAT.

Sun rises. 4 29 | Sets 7 17 | Moon rises. 4 04 | Moon's age 28 HIGH WATER. A.M.—Sandy Hook 7:01 Gov. Island. 7:28 Hell Gate. 9:17 P.M.—Sandy Hook 7:12 Gov. Island. 7:37 Hell Gate. 9:26 INCOMING STEAMERS.

TO-DAT-From Hamburg Havana Liverpool Glasgow May 10. Hamb Amer May 23. N Y & Cuba May 19. Guton May 18. State loravia..... State of Nevada WEDNESDAY, MAY 29. Italy. Liverpool May 16 National Aive Port Antonio, May 23 Atlas City of Washington, Havana, May 25 NY & Cuba THURSDAY, MAY 30

OUTGOING STEAMERS. TO-DAY.

Vaccet, Line, Por Arizona, Guion, Liverpeol Muravia, Hamb Amer, Hamburg, WEDNESDAY, MAY 29. THURSDAY MAY 30. State of Georgia, State, Glasgow 8 am Hammonia, Hamb Amer, Hamburg 330 am 6 am Amsterdam, Neth Amer, Amsterdam, 3.30 am 6 am Orinoco, Queboc, Bermuda pm 3 pm

SHIPPING NEWS. 

ARRIVED.

Steamer Aurania (Rt), McKay, Liverpool May 18. Queenstown 19. with index and \$25 passengers to Vernou H Brown & Co Arrived at the Bar at 12.24 a m.

Steamer city of Chester (Br), Bond, Liverpool May 18, Queenslown 19, with index and passengers to Peter Wright & Sons. ons.
Steamer Furness a (Br). Hedderwick, Glasgow May 16. Mo-lie 17, with index and 901 passengers to Henderson Bros. dile 17, with index and 801 passengers of the 17 with index and 801 passengers of trivial at the Bar at 0 a m. Steamer Fulla (der.), Ringk, Bremen May 18, Southampton 19, with index and 1171 passengers to Odirichs & Co. Arrived it the Bar at 2 p m. Steamer Neustria (Fr.), Verries, Marseilles May 5, Naples 9, Gibraitar 24, with index and 721 passengers to J W Elwell & Gibraitar 24, with index and 721 passengers to J W Elwell & May 1.

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Brarata 4 Port Spain 7, Cardanado 5, Cumana 10, Laguayra
Porto Cabello 13, Macoria 16, Jacond 18, Port ad Prince
with made and passengers to Kunhardt & Co. Arrived at earner Leuisiana, Gager, New Orleans 5 days, with mose passengers to 8 H Seaman

ailory & Co. steamer Manhatian. Walker. Newprot News and Norfolk, th mote and passengers to Old Ionication Sa Co. Steamer Kanawha, sears, Newport News, with coal to S.B. rentt. steamer F W Brune, Lewis, Baltimore, with mose to HC Fos-

Stramer Commonwealth, Van Kirk, Philadelphia, with moise to Roberts & Kinz.

Ship Victoria Regina i Bri, Cawsey, Calcutta 115 days, with moise to order, vessel to J. Brince Ismay.

Ship Astoria i Bri, Brown, Calcutta 111 days, with moise to order, vessel to mater.

Bark I Forman Commonwealth, Commonwealth order, Storia Lorenteid.

Bark Honny Boon, Bargess, Othars 15 days, with sugar to Misc Bross, vessel to Miller & Honghton.

Bark Palmouth (Br), Wann, Windsor, NS, 8 days, with plaster of Down & Keene, vessel to Snow & Burgess.

Brig Elles M Mitchell, Small, Matanras 12 days, with moise-see of Dide Sacres, vessel to Isase, Talbot & Co.

Brig Felos, Coney, Demorara 18 days, with angar and 2 passengers to Brown Bross, vessels to Miller & Houghton.

Brig Manson, Huntley, Laguns 24 days, with wools to F Nemegyel, vessels to Miller & Houghton.

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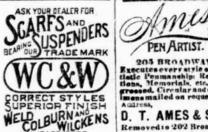
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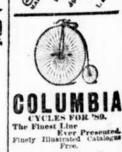
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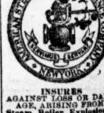
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